

JACK IN THE BOX INC /NEW/
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 ALPERT MICHAEL E

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 JACK IN THE BOX INC /NEW/ [JBX]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 9330 BALBOA AVENUE
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 03/14/2006

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

SAN DIEGO, CA 92123
 (City) (State) (Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				(A) or (D)	Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)							
			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title		
NON QUALIFIED STOCK OPTION (right to buy)	\$ 24.125	03/14/2006	M		9,700		08/12/1999 ⁽¹⁾	02/12/2009	COMMON STOCK		
NON QUALIFIED STOCK OPTION (right to buy)	\$ 24.125	03/14/2006	M		300		08/12/1999 ⁽¹⁾	02/12/2009	COMMON STOCK		
NON QUALIFIED STOCK OPTION (right to buy)	\$ 23.25	03/14/2006	M		200		05/12/2000 ⁽¹⁾	11/12/2009	COMMON STOCK		
NON QUALIFIED STOCK OPTION (right to buy)	\$ 23.25	03/14/2006	M		100		05/12/2000 ⁽¹⁾	11/12/2009	COMMON STOCK		
NON QUALIFIED STOCK OPTION (right to buy)	\$ 23.25	03/14/2006	M		1,500		05/12/2000 ⁽¹⁾	11/12/2009	COMMON STOCK		
NON QUALIFIED STOCK OPTION (right to buy)	\$ 23.25	03/14/2006	M		1,000		05/12/2000 ⁽¹⁾	11/12/2009	COMMON STOCK		
NON QUALIFIED STOCK OPTION (right to buy)	\$ 23.25	03/14/2006	M		300		05/12/2000 ⁽¹⁾	11/12/2009	COMMON STOCK		
NON QUALIFIED	\$ 23.25	03/14/2006	M		1,800		05/12/2000 ⁽¹⁾	11/12/2009	COMMON STOCK		

STOCK
OPTION
(right to buy)

NON
QUALIFIED
STOCK \$ 23.25 03/14/2006 M 200 05/12/2000⁽¹⁾ 11/12/2009 COMMON STOCK

NON
QUALIFIED
STOCK \$ 23.25 03/14/2006 M 500 05/12/2000⁽¹⁾ 11/12/2009 COMMON STOCK

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
ALPERT MICHAEL E 9330 BALBOA AVENUE SAN DIEGO, CA 92123		X		

Signatures

STEPHANIE BRINSFIELD by Power of Attorney for Michael E Alpert 03/15/2006

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. *See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

(1) The stock option becomes exercisable at 100% commencing six months after the date of grant.

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